## MILITARY CHILD EDUCATION COALITION

## Living In the New Normal: Supporting Children Through Trauma and Loss Institute

The Military Child Education Coalition's<sup>™</sup> Living in the New Normal (LINN)<sup>™</sup> training is a two-day professional development program that prepares school guidance professionals, educators and community members to recognize and address the issues facing children dealing with separation from a loved one or experiencing trauma, grief and loss due to the loss or injury of a loved one. It provides concerned adults with information to help support children during these times of uncertainty and gives them the framework to enable them to support families to ensure that their children have the tools to bounce back from life's storms and stressors. The MCEC's LINN<sup>™</sup> efforts are predicated on the belief that children's inherent attributes of courage and resiliency can be strengthened through deliberate encouragement.

Satisfactory completion of the Military Child Education Coalition Institutes is based on engaged networking, 95% attendance, and completion of the end-of-course evaluation. Peer review and instructor feedback are utilized. Twelve (12) full seat hours are required for institute credit – attendance both full days required – no partial attendance accepted. Breakfast and lunch both days will be provided for all registered attendees.

<u>Institute</u>	<u>Information</u>

Date:	October 6-7, 2009
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**Location:** Norwich University

158 Harmon Drive

Northfield, Vermont 05663

Time: 8:30 am - 4:00 pm (Continental Breakfast will be available at 8:00 am)

Cost: Funded by US Army CYS

Additional Information: 12 full seat hours required for institute credit and to receive training materials. No partial attendance accepted.

Please register by September 30, 2009 by COMPLETING AND FAXING this form to 254-953-1925

Educational Credits: The following educational credits will be available for a fee, payable at the institute: 1.2 Continuing Education Credits cost \$25.00 and/or 1 hour of Graduate Credit costing \$175.00 from a branch of Texas A&M University.

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